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2.	Dr. S. Ramamurthy, Additional Professor	Cardiology	16.06.2007
3.	Dr, S. Anandaraja, Assistant Professor	Cardiology	24.07.2007
4.	Dr. D. Prabhakaran, Additional Professor	Cardiology	24.09.2007
5.	Dr. V.K. Arora, Professor	Pathology	01.10.2007
6.	Dr. Rakesh Agrawal, Professor	Gastroenterology	08.10.2007
7.	Dr. Rajat Kumar, Professor	Hematology	12.04.2008
8.	Dr. Manju Aron, Associate Professor	Pathology	17.06.2008
9.	Dr. Prasoon Kant Shamsherry, Assistant Professor	Orthopedics	03.10.2008
10.	Dr. Sumit Singh, Associate Professor	Neurology	01.10.2009
11.	Dr. K.K. Handa, Associate Professor	E.N.T.	31.10.2009

Expenditure of children healthcare

509. SHRIMATI T. RATNA BAI: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the status of human health in the country;

(b) the details of such status, children, women and men-wise; and

(c) the amount spent on children healthcare in the country as a percentage of GDP?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI DINESH TRIVEDI): (a) and (b) Some of the important indicators that reflect the status of human health in me country include (i) Life expectancy at birth, (ii) Infant Mortality Rate, (iii) Crude Death Rate, (iv) Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR). The Table below captures the latest available data in respect of these parameters for the country:

Selected Indicators reflecting status of Human Health

Indicators	Status
Life Expectancy at Birth	Male - 62.6
(2002-06)	Female- 64.2
Infant Mortality Rate (IMR) (per 1000 live births) (2008)	Male - 52
	Female -55
	Total - 53
Crude Death Rate (CDR) (per 1000 population) (2008)	Male - 8.0
	Female - 6.8
	Total - 7.4
Maternal Mortality Ratio (MMR) (per 100,000 live births) (2004-06)	254

Source: RGI

(c) As per the National Health Accounts India - 2004-05 (with provisional estimate from 2005-06 to 2008-09), the expenditure on health (Public and Private) as a percentage of GDP was 4.13% for the year 2008-09. No separate data on amount spent on child health care is available.

People affected by endosulphan pesticide

510. SHRI P.R. RAJAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people affected by Endosulphan Pesticide in States other than Kerala; and

(b) what are the measures taken by Government so far in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI S. GANDHISELVAN): (a) and (b) The Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Survey of population affected by endosulphan pesticide in Kasargod district

511. SHRI P.R. RAJAN: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Government is aware of the survey conducted in Kasargod district of Kerala for Endosulphan Pesticide affected population; and

(b) if so, what are the measures taken by the Central Government to render financial and other assistance to the affected people?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI S. GANDHISELVAN): (d) Yes. As per the directives of the National Human Right Commission (NHRC), in 2002, the National Institute of Occupational Health, Ahmedabad, an institute under Indian Council of Medical Research had conducted a survey titled " Investigation of unusual illness allegedly produced by Endosulfan exposure in Padre village of Kasargod District, North Kerala" and submitted its report to the NHRC.

(b) The Information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Cases of Dengue in Delhi

512. SHRI DHARAM PAL SABHARWAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that cases of Dengue have increased during the last three months in National Capital Territory of Delhi;

(b) if so, how many cases so far have been reported from various private and government hospitals during the last three months, hospital-wise; and